

ROLL CALL

Taxation Committee

House of Representatives

Date: 3.28.07

NAME (18 Members)	PRESENT	ABSENT or EXCUSED
Chairman B. LAKE	✓	
Vice Chair J. SONJU	✓	
Vice Chair J. COHENOUR	✓	
Rep. N. BIXBY	✓	
Rep. M. BLASDEL	✓	
Rep. E. BUTCHER	✓	
Rep. R. ERICKSON	✓	
Rep. W. GRINDE	✓	
Rep. R. HAMILTON	✓	
Rep. E. HILBERT	✓	
Rep. M. JOPEK	✓	
Rep. C. LAMBERT	✓	
Rep. G. MacLAREN	✓	
Rep. D. McALPIN	✓	
Rep. B. NOONEY	✓	
Rep. J.P. POMNICHOWSKI	✓	
Rep. J. ROSS	✓	
Rep. C. VINCENT	✓	



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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Taxation** recommend that **Senate Bill 403** (third reading copy -- blue) be concurred in.

Signed: _____

Bob Lake
Representative Bob Lake, Chair

To be carried by Representative Jill Cohenour

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Committee Vote:

Yes 18, No 0

Fiscal Note Required _____

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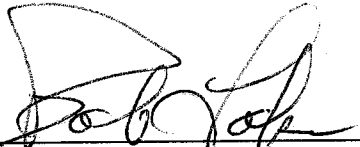
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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Taxation** recommend that **House Bill 822** (first reading copy -- white) do pass as amended.

Signed: _____


Representative Bob Lake, Chair

And, that such amendments read:

1. Title, line 5.

Following: "INDIVIDUAL"

Insert: "OR A BUSINESS"

Strike: "INDIVIDUAL'S"

Insert: "TAXPAYER'S"

2. Title, line 6.

Strike: "AN IMMEDIATE"

Insert: "A DELAYED"

Following: the first "DATE"

Insert: ", "

Strike: "AND A RETROACTIVE"

Insert: "AN"

Following: the second "DATE"

Insert: ", AND A TERMINATION DATE"

3. Page 1, line 16.

Strike: "2006"

Insert: "2007"

4. Page 1.

Following: line 22

Insert: "(c) If the credit allowed under this section is claimed, the amount of the deduction allowed or allowable under this chapter for the amount that qualifies for the credit must be reduced by the dollar amount of the credit allowed."

Committee Vote:

Yes 10, No 8

Fiscal Note Required _____

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5. Page 1, line 24.

Strike: "The"

Insert: "Subject to the limitation of subsection (3)(b) and this subsection, the"

6. Page 1, line 25.

Strike: "on" through "purchased"

Insert: "according to the following schedule:

(a) for a biodiesel blend that contains at least 2% biodiesel but less than 5%, the credit is equal to 0.02 times the total cost of the diesel fuel purchased;

(b) for a biodiesel blend that contains at least 5% biodiesel but less than 10%, the credit is equal to 0.05 times the total cost of the diesel fuel purchased;

(c) for a biodiesel blend that contains at least 10% biodiesel but less than 20%, the credit is equal to 0.1 times the total cost of the diesel fuel purchased;

(d) for a biodiesel blend that contains at least 20% biodiesel but less than 100%, the credit is equal to 0.2 times the total cost of the diesel fuel purchased;

(e) for biodiesel that meets the requirements of 15-70-301(2), the credit is equal to the total cost of the diesel fuel purchased"

7. Page 1.

Following: line 27

Insert: "NEW SECTION. Section 2. Biodiesel tax credit. (1)(a) Subject to the provisions of [section 1] and this section, a corporation, small business corporation, as defined in 15-30-1101, a partnership, or a limited liability company, as defined in 35-8-102, carrying on a trade or business is allowed the credit provided for in [section 1] against the taxes due under 15-31-101.

(b) The credit may be claimed only by a corporation, a small business corporation, a partnership, or a limited liability company that employs fewer than 16 employees.

(2) If the credit allowed under this section is claimed, the amount of the deduction allowed or allowable under this chapter for the amount that qualifies for the credit must be reduced by the dollar amount of the credit allowed.

(3) The credit must be attributed to shareholders, partners, or members of a limited liability company in the same proportion used to report the corporation's, partnership's, or limited liability company's income or loss for Montana income tax purposes."

Renumber: subsequent sections

8. Page 1, line 29.

Following: "instruction."

Insert: "(1)"

9. Page 1.

Following: line 30

Insert: "(2) [Section 2] is intended to be codified as an integral part of Title 15, chapter 31, part 1, and the provisions of Title 15, chapter 31, part 1, apply to [section 2]."

10. Page 2, line 2.

Strike: "on" through "approval"

Insert: "January 1, 2008"

11. Page 2, line 4.

Strike: "Retroactive applicability"

Insert: "Applicability"

12. Page 2, line 4 through line 5.

Strike: "retroactively" on line 4 through "1-2-109," on line 5

Strike: "2006" on line 5

Insert: "2007"

13. Page 2.

Following: line 5

Insert: "NEW SECTION. Section 6. Termination. [This act] terminates December 31, 2013."

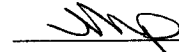
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TABLED BILL

The **HOUSE TAXATION COMMITTEE** TABLED HB 572, HB 816, SB 215, SB 487, SB 492, SB 507, by motion, on **Wednesday, March 28, 2007**.


(For the Committee)


(Chief Clerk of the House)

_____, 3/28
(Time) (Date)

March 28, 2007

Debra L. Polhemus, Secretary

Phone: 4877



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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Taxation** recommend that **House Bill 8** (first reading copy -- white) do pass as amended.

Signed: _____

Representative Bob Lake, Chair

And, that such amendments read:

1. Title, line 12.

Following: "LOANS;"

Insert: "STATUTORILY ESTABLISHING AN APPLICATION FEE FOR A GRANT OR LOAN; AMENDING SECTION 85-1-608, MCA;"

2. Page 5, line 28.

"Section 9. Section 85-1-608, MCA, is amended to read:

"85-1-608. Applications for grants and loans to private persons. (1) A private person may apply for a grant or loan to finance a water-related project to be constructed, developed, and operated in Montana.

(2) An application for a loan or grant must be in the form prescribed by rule and contain or be accompanied by any information necessary to adequately describe the proposed project and necessary for evaluation of the proposed project under the criteria set out in 85-1-609 and 85-1-610. An application must be accompanied by a fee of \$275. The fee must be deposited in the renewable resource grant and loan program state special revenue account established in 85-1-604."

Renumber: subsequent sections

- END -

Committee Vote:

Yes 14, No 4

Fiscal Note Required X

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ROLL CALL VOTE
Taxation Committee
House of Representatives

Date: 3.28.07

Bill No.: HB822

Motion No. : _____

Motion: passed

NAME (18 Members)	AYE	NO	Proxy
Vice Chair J. SONJU		✓	
Vice Chair J. COHENOUR	✓		
Rep. W. GRINDE	✓		
Rep. B. NOONEY	✓		
Rep. D. McALPIN	✓		
Rep. G. MacLAREN	✓		
Rep. N. BIXBY	✓		
Rep. C. LAMBERT		✓	
Rep. J.P. POMNICHOWSKI	✓		
Rep. E. HILBERT		✓	
Rep. C. VINCENT		✓	
Rep. M. JOPEK	✓		
Rep. E. BUTCHER		✓	
Rep. R. ERICKSON	✓		
Rep. M. BLASDEL		✓	
Rep. R. HAMILTON	✓		
Rep. J. ROSS		✓	
Chairman B. LAKE		✓	

VOTE: 10.8 passed

ROLL CALL VOTE
Taxation Committee
House of Representatives

Date: 3-28-07

Bill No.: SB215

Motion No. : _____

Motion: do concur

NAME (18 Members)	AYE	NO	Proxy
Vice Chair J. SONJU		✓	
Vice Chair J. COHENOUR	✓		
Rep. W. GRINDE	✓		
Rep. B. NOONEY		✓	
Rep. D. McALPIN	✓		
Rep. G. MacLAREN		✓	
Rep. N. BIXBY	✓		
Rep. C. LAMBERT		✓	
Rep. J.P. POMNICHOWSKI	✓		✓
Rep. E. HILBERT		✓	
Rep. C. VINCENT		✓	
Rep. M. JOPEK	✓		
Rep. E. BUTCHER		✓	
Rep. R. ERICKSON	✓		
Rep. M. BLASDEL		✓	
Rep. R. HAMILTON	✓		
Rep. J. ROSS		✓	
Chairman B. LAKE		✓	

VOTE: 8-10 fails
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ROLL CALL VOTE
Taxation Committee
House of Representatives

Date: 3.28.07

Bill No.: SB487

Motion No. : _____

Motion: Go Table

NAME (18 Members)	AYE	NO	Proxy
Vice Chair J. SONJU	✓		
Vice Chair J. COHENOUR		✓	
Rep. W. GRINDE		✓	
Rep. B. NOONEY	✓		
Rep. D. McALPIN		✓	
Rep. G. MacLAREN	✓		
Rep. N. BIXBY		✓	
Rep. C. LAMBERT	✓		
Rep. J.P. POMNICHOWSKI		✓	✓
Rep. E. HILBERT	✓		
Rep. C. VINCENT	✓		
Rep. M. JOPEK		✓	
Rep. E. BUTCHER	✓		
Rep. R. ERICKSON	✓		
Rep. M. BLASDEL	✓		
Rep. R. HAMILTON		✓	
Rep. J. ROSS	✓		
Chairman B. LAKE	✓		

VOTE: 11-7 passes

ROLL CALL VOTE
Taxation Committee
House of Representatives

Date: 3.28.07

Bill No.: HB 572

Motion No. : _____

Motion: do pass as amended

NAME (18 Members)	AYE	NO	Proxy
Vice Chair J. SONJU		✓	
Vice Chair J. COHENOUR	✓		
Rep. W. GRINDE	✓		
Rep. B. NOONEY		✓	
Rep. D. McALPIN	✓		
Rep. G. MacLAREN		✓	
Rep. N. BIXBY	✓		
Rep. C. LAMBERT		✓	
Rep. J.P. POMNICHOWSKI	✓		✓
Rep. E. HILBERT		✓	
Rep. C. VINCENT		✓	
Rep. M. JOPEK	✓		
Rep. E. BUTCHER		✓	
Rep. R. ERICKSON	✓		
Rep. M. BLASDEL		✓	
Rep. R. HAMILTON	✓		
Rep. J. ROSS		✓	
Chairman B. LAKE		✓	

VOTE: 8.10 fails

ROLL CALL VOTE
Taxation Committee
House of Representatives

Date: 3-28-07

Bill No.: HB 816

Motion No. : _____

Motion: de pass

NAME (18 Members)	AYE	NO	Proxy
Vice Chair J. SONJU		✓	
Vice Chair J. COHENOUR	✓		
Rep. W. GRINDE	✓		
Rep. B. NOONEY		✓	
Rep. D. McALPIN	✓		
Rep. G. MacLAREN		✓	
Rep. N. BIXBY	✓		
Rep. C. LAMBERT		✓	
Rep. J.P. POMNICHOWSKI	✓		
Rep. E. HILBERT		✓	
Rep. C. VINCENT		✓	
Rep. M. JOPEK	✓		
Rep. E. BUTCHER		✓	
Rep. R. ERICKSON	✓		
Rep. M. BLASDEL		✓	
Rep. R. HAMILTON	✓		
Rep. J. ROSS		✓	
Chairman B. LAKE		✓	

VOTE: 8-10 fails

AUTHORIZED COMMITTEE PROXY

I request to be excused from the Taxation Committee

Committee because of other commitments. I desire to leave my proxy vote with:

Jack Carson

Indicate Bill number and your vote Aye or No. If there are amendments, list them by name and number under the bill and indicate a separate vote for each amendment.

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE NO

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE NO

2/6/07	HB40	HB004002.AKj	✓	
		HB004003.akj	✓	
2/14/07		HB053301.akj	✓	
		DPAA 533	✓	
		HB055901.akj	✓	
		DPAA 559	✓	
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2/23/07		TABLE HB787	✓	
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		DPAA HB644	✓	
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DP HB463	✓	
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Table SB487		✓
Table SB492	✓	
Table SB507	✓	
DP HB057201.akj	✓	
DPAA HB572	✓	
Table HB572	✓	

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Rep. _____

Jack Carson
(Signature)

Date _____

VISITORS REGISTER

Montana House of Representatives TAXATION COMMITTEE

Date: March 28, 2007

Bill No: SB 416

Sponsor(s): Sen. Christine Kaufmann

(Secretary of State / Department of Revenue taxpayer identification)

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NAME	REPRESENTING	Support	Oppose	Informt'l
Mark Simonich	Secretary of State	X		
Riley Johnson	NFIB		X	
Jon Bennison	MT Chamber		X	

Please leave prepared testimony with Committee Secretary. Witness Statement forms are available if you care to submit written testimony.

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Montana House of Representatives TAXATION COMMITTEE

Date: March 28, 2007

Bill No: SB 403

Sponsor(s): Sen. Greg Lind

(Revise property tax exemption for disabled veterans)

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NAME	REPRESENTING	Support	Oppose	Informt'l
Wally Lane	DOR-PAD			X
Jim Jacobsen	MT Am Legion	X		

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